

Substitute for Form 1449 A & B/PTO		<i>Complete if Known</i>	
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT		Application Number	10/018,790
(use as many sheets as necessary)		Confirmation Number	1942
		Filing Date	December 21, 2001
		First Named Inventor	Jean-Pascal PLANCHE
		Art Unit	Unknown
		Examiner Name	Unknown
		Attorney Docket Number	067797
Sheet	1	of	1

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initials ¹	Cite No. ¹	Document Number		Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document
		Number	Kind Code ² (if known)		
P.S.		US 6,020,404	A	02/01/2000	Planche et al.
P.S.		US 5,605,946	A	02/25/1999	Planche et al.
P.S.		US 5,874,492	A	02/23/1999	Planche et al.
P.S.		US 5,880,185	A	03/09/1999	Planche et al.
P.S.		US 5,336,705	A	08/19/1994	Gorbaty et al.
P.S.		US 5,288,773	A	02/22/1994	Gorbaty et al.
P.S.		US 5,348,994	A	02/09/1994	Gorbaty et al.

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

OTHER PRIOR ART - NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS

Examiner Signature

Peter Sreke(s)

Date Considered:

8/12/03

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ²See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov, MPEP 901.04 or in the comment box of this document. ³Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST. 3). ⁴For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible. ⁶Applicant is to indicate here if English language Translation is attached.

The crossed out reference has no English translation or skeleton of relevance. JBR 8/12/03